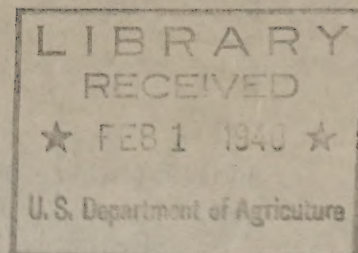


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PROGRAM

THE LAYING OF THE CORNERSTONE
of the
EASTERN REGIONAL RESEARCH LABORATORY
Bureau of Agricultural Chemistry and Engineering
U. S. Department of Agriculture
Wyndmoor, Springfield Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania
Friday, October 20, 1939, at 3:30 p. m.

Honorable M. L. Wilson,
Undersecretary of Agriculture, Chairman

Musical Selections
Pennsylvania Concert Band

Invocation
Reverend Nathanael B. Groton
Rector, St. Thomas' Church, Whitemarsh

Introduction of Guests by Chairman

Address
Senator Joseph F. Guffey of Pennsylvania

Laying of Cornerstone

National Anthem

Laboratory Site: Mermaid Avenue and Ardmore Avenue, Wyndmoor, Pa.

Administrative Organization of Regional Research Laboratories

Henry A. Wallace,
Secretary of Agriculture
Henry G. Knight,
Chief, Bureau of Agricultural Chemistry and Engineering
H. T. Herrick,
Assistant Chief of Bureau in Charge of
Regional Research Laboratories
P. A. Wells,
Director, Eastern Regional Research Laboratory

Purpose of Regional Research Laboratories

To develop through research new uses and new and extended markets for farm commodities, particularly those which are produced in surplus.

The Eastern Laboratory will confine its initial investigations to apples, dairy products, tobacco, vegetables and white potatoes.

Committee on Arrangements:

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